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SUBJ: MISSING F/V NIGHT HAWK AND US CITIZEN SCOTT HARRIS

REF: TEGUCIGALPA 4522 DECEMBER 30, 1971

1. JULY 24 ISSUE OF LA PRENSA CARRIES REPORT THAT A RADIO HAVANA NEWS BULLETIN (DATE NOT GIVEN) REPORTED THAT THE ELEVEN PERSONS MISSING SINCE DECEMBER 19, 1971 ON BOARD F/V NIGHT HAWK HAD BEEN FREED FROM CUBAN PRISONS. ARTICLE FURTHER REPORTED THAT A LETTER HAD BEEN RECEIVED FROM MARLEN JACKSON, DAUGHTER OF VESSEL'S CAPTAIN, WRITING FROM WASHINGTON TO EFFECT THAT SOME CUBAN EXILES THERE HAD TOLD HER THAT 10 HONDURANS AND ONE AMERICAN WERE BEING HELD PRISONERS IN CUBA BUT WOULD BE FREED WITHIN A FEW DAYS. THIS NEWS WAS LATER CONFIRMED BY RADIO HAVANA.

2. THE LETTER FROM MARLEN WAS REPORTEDLY RECEIVED BY JACKSON FAMILY ON ROATAN WHICH IS ASKING MINISTRY OF FOREIGN RELATIONS TO INVESTIGATE MATTER AND REPATRIATE THE CREWMEN. GOH POLICE AUTHORITIES AND FONOFF INFORM EMBASSY THEY HAVE NO CONFIRMATION OF LA PRENSA REPORT.

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3. REQUEST DEPARTMENT ADVISE OF ANY RADIO HAVANA NEWS

BULLETIN ON THIS SUBJECT. CAN FORMAL INQUIRIES BE MADE
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